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## UTILITY PATENT APPLICATION UNDER 37 CFR 1.53(b)

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FOR: SOLID STATE IMAGE DEVICE AND MANUFACTURING METHOD THEREOF

Enclos	sed are:		
$\boxtimes$	43 pages of specification, claims, abstract.		
$\boxtimes$	Declaration and Power of Attorney.		
$\boxtimes$	Priority Claimed.		
	Certified copy of Japanese Patent Application No. JP2002-234564		
$\boxtimes$	9 sheets of formal drawing.		
$\boxtimes$	An assignment of the invention to SANYO ELECTRIC CO., LTD.		
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	A verified statement to establish small entity status under 37 CFR 1.9 and 37 CFR 1.27.		
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Multiple Dependent Claim(s)				\$0.00	
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